

LOVE













# VISION



We love because God first loved us.  
1 John 4:19

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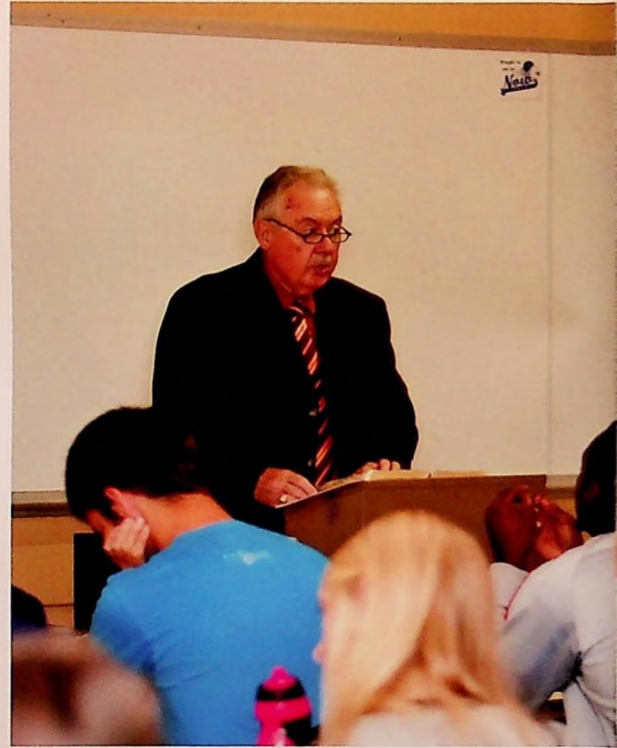
# CAMPUS LIFE





# Paddock Retirement

Dr. Wesley Paddock was born in Leadville, Colorado. In 1955, his family moved to Clifton, Colorado. He graduated from Central High School. "The Fort," in 1957. Collegiately, he would receive the degrees of BA in Bible, Intermountain Bible College; MDiv. in Semitic Languages and Literature, Lincoln; DMin from Denver Seminary in World Christianity (Cross Cultural Communication). During his teaching career he taught at IBC for 17 years; Lincoln, one semester; Cincinnati Christian College & Seminary, 6 years; Daystar University College, Nairobi, Kenya, 3 years; TCM International 6 years; and Manhattan Christian College for 25 years. Besides teaching in the United States, Dr. Paddock taught in Zimbabwe, Uganda, and Kenya; in Eastern Europe and the former Soviet Union, and worked with missionaries on the Navajo Reservation for 17 years. Dr. Paddock is married to Arletta Ross Paddock and to their marriage came five children, nine grandchildren, and four great grand children. Dr. and Mrs. Paddock have been involved in ministries in Colorado, Missouri, Illinois, and Kansas. They continue to serve the Zeandale Community Church in Manhattan where they have been for 22 years.



2011: Dr. Paddock teaches the Introduction to Old Testament Class.

2003: Dr. Paddock advises a student on what classes to take.

1999: Dr. Paddock donning one of his many famous ties.

2004: Dr. Paddock preparing for a lecture with his Snoopy shamrock vest.

1997: Dr. Paddock is a singing angel during Woman's World.







2018: Dr. Paddock was the long time professor for Old Testament classes.

2016: Dr. Paddock's yearbook picture.

2005: Dr. Paddock with colleagues Ms. Beddow and Mr. Thornley.

1996: Dr. Paddock was a photography enthusiast.



2002: Dr. Paddock teaching Survey of Old Testament.

2003: Dr. Paddock explains a Bible verse to a student.



# Welcome Weekend

The Resident Assistants moved in for training and getting the residence halls ready for move the multiple move in days. The athletes moved in and quickly jumped in to practice schedules. The returning students moved in next and began to fill up the residence halls. The campus was alive with activity in preparation for the new student move in day. The Residence Hall Supervisors and Resident Assistants were excited for the arrival of the new students. The parking lots filled up with trucks and trailers and everyone stayed busy helping unload the new students. The goal of Welcome Weekend is to create a welcoming atmosphere where new students feel part of our MCC family. The weekend consisted of family worship celebration, residence hall activities, NSO groups, all school devotional, dodge ball, bowling, and ice cream social with Prez Kev. The weekend prepared us for an exciting year to come.



Student Body Vice President Faith Barr shares her devotion at the student led worship.

President Ingram and Ben Grogg assist Zach Price in ice cream scooping.

Jaelon Carter, Ferdinand Handy Jr., Joseph Cartwright, Carl McDade III, Angel Vasquez, and Logan Engelhorn enjoy fellowship and food.

Dakota Wallace, Trisha Fassnacht, Rachel McPherson, Abbie Wright, and Whitney Wonser prepare for worship.







Chris Blankenship prays over new students on his floor.



Katherine Petersma, Garrett Renner, Faith Barr, and Elly Johnson are ready to make the new students feel welcome.

Jordan Davis lifts Angel Vasquez up in prayer.



Nathan and Kayla Talarico lead the student body in worship.

Students love getting to eat ice cream served by the President.



# Winter Banquet

Here at Manhattan Christian college we are known for our great history and traditions amongst other things. One of our great traditions is the Winter Banquet. A place where friends can come and get a break from school and have fun and dance with their peers.

The Winter Banquet has been going on for years, and each year a group of MCC students that are involved in the CPC committee put in a great effort to find a venue first off and then choose a theme that they believe would fit and that people will enjoy.

This year our party committee picked a great theme and decided to go with the met gala. The met gala is a widely known fashion event so our students have a chance to try and live up to that by bringing out their best clothes and flashiest jewelry and a chance to make the great tradition of the winter banquet continue.



Grace Marozas and Dakota Shurts ready to dance the night away.

Kord Pearson and Johnnie Talarico looking super swaggy as always.

Charlie's Angels or the ladies from Allie May's suite?

Savannah Farney, Sierra Sporleder, Rebecca Bloom, Allie May, Hannah Grace, and Jordan Lewis enjoy the MET gala as a suite.







Hannah Gillespie, Trisha Fassnacht, Abbie Matthews, Dakota Wallace, and Mattea Black shine bright for Winter Banquet.



Kaitlyn Damrill, Davinna Farney, Haley Wright, Hailey Culp are always ready to party.

Angel Vasquez looking as suave as ever.



Shelby Jennings and Tanner Morris enjoy one last Winter Banquet.

CPC transformed the HAC into a beautiful gala.



# Christmas Events

Christmas at Manhattan Christian College is always a favorite time of year. The residence halls are busy competing for the best decorations between floors and suites. The faculty and staff work together to host the students for the annual Christmas Open House. The open house is hosted by a variety of faculty or staff members who open up their homes for the students to eat some special treats and spend time visiting with friends and faculty and staff. Each year the student development staff rotates hosts from the east side and west side of Manhattan. This year the hosts were Roy and Lauren Sanders and Jordan and Becca Strom. The homes stayed busy with people talking and snacking on salty and sweet treats. This event is a cherished tradition by both faculty, staff, and students.

Savannah Farney, Davinna Farney, and Kaitlyn Damrill enjoying their time at the Strom house.



Carson Graham and Garrett Renner enjoy some little smokies.

Devin Wendt visits with Greta Hinderliter and Carla Ceja.

Connie Hill gives Davinna Farney and Kaitlyn Damrill the lo down on all the treats.







Nicole Santillo and Faith Barr enjoy visiting with Julie Pearson.



Abe Walker, Dionne Timken, Brody Lumpkins, and Connor O'Boyle share a plate of goodies.

Alyssa Armstrong and Maya Hites enjoy their time together at the Strom's.



Grace Marozas and Janel Dormire take turns getting to snuggle with Nash Sanders.

Grace Marozas, Janel Dormire, Carla Ceja, and Greta Hinderliter sit and listen to Ray Sanders recite the Christmas story.



# Student Development

Student Life is just one important aspect of college life. The Student Development Department, led by Ben Grogg and Teri Awbrey, stays busy working to keep the students engaged and involved in campus life. The Student Development office strives to help students find their niche on campus and connect with students inside the residence halls and beyond. They plan fun student events to make sure all students are included and welcomed. They want the students to have the best experience possible. A big part of student development on campus includes life in the residence halls. The residence halls are managed by Residence Hall Supervisors who are assisted by Residence Hall Assistants. The department also offers assistance with academic success and tutoring. If a student encounters any type of problem, the Student Development staff is available to help them and encourage them.

Director of Student Development Ben Grogg shares with students during Intro to MCC Life class.



Traditions committee Mo Manes, Darby Cook, Johnnie Talarico, and Dakota Shurts.

Anna Vanstory, Hannah Grace, Peyton Miller, Jenna Park, Eva Erickson, Antonio Anderson, Devon Shipp, and Abe Walker hang out in the Coffin lobby before class.

Elly Johnson, Grace Holcomb, Kennedy Wilson, Janel Dormire, Brenna Flax, Grace Marozas, Haleigh Hipsher, and Anya Maltseva enjoy the nice weather and support the men's soccer team.







Angel Vasquez and Carl McDade enjoy some good food before the Super Bowl.



Students love dressing up and going to Barn Party.

These ladies are incredible! Amanda Petit, Brenna Flax, Haleigh Hipsher, Kennedy Wilson, Grace Marozas, and Emma Bathurst.



Kaleb Hanson, Tommy Brotton, Nathan McNellis, and Jacob Modra eagerly anticipate a Chiefs win.



# Institutional Advancement

The Institutional Advancement department works tirelessly to promote the college. This department is responsible for planning and executing a plethora of events. Some of these events include: Leadership Breakfast, Golf Classic, Woman's World, Thankful Thunder, MCC Now, Vision 360, and many other leadership conferences. The IA Office is also engaged in building positive relationships with local churches as well as churches throughout the nation and around the world. The Institutional Advancement Office works to advance the mission of the college by enlisting financial support and ministry involvement from alumni, faculty, staff, and students. The goal of the office is to tell the MCC story and the impact our college is making around the world.



Jolene Rupe, Jenna Wilson, April Wendt, and Jenny Herrera are ready for the weekend adventure of Woman's World.

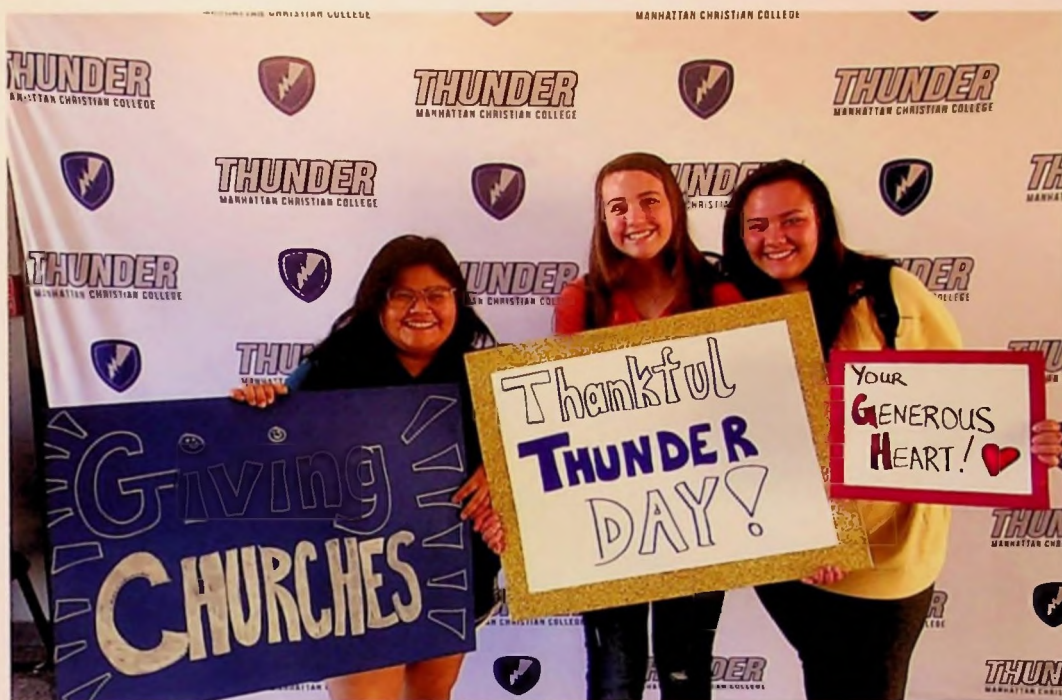
Jenna Wilson, Brandon Pitt, Jenny Herrera, Zach Price, and April Wendt help check golfers in at Colbert Hills.

President Kevin Ingram with Bret Irvin and alum Kylie Rupe. Bret Irvin works at BNSF Railway and he spoke at the Leadership Breakfast.

Genae Denver presenting scholarship award winners at Woman's World.







Maya Hites, Amanda Petit, and Aspen Herrera are thankful for generous donors.



Alumni Coordinator Genae Denver heads up the MCC Now campaign.

Genae Denver and Teri Awbrey celebrate Thankful Thunder day.



Jack Hinderliter, Erik Wold, Jordan Davis, Tommy Brotton, and Anya Maltseva are thankful for Churches who support MCC.

Hannah Corbus, Mattea Black, and Anna Vanstory enjoy ice cream sandwiches during MCC Now.





# Admissions

The Admissions department at Manhattan Christian College stays busy year round building relationships with prospective students and helping them get everything ready to start their college career. They host multiple campus visit days which gives students and their families a little glimpse of what life at MCC would be like. The department also plans two Timothy Days weekends. High School seniors who show exceptional leadership qualities are nominated to attend this event. They enjoy a banquet, an evening of worship, and then spend a day interviewing in hopes of receiving the Timothy Days scholarship. The Admissions department continues to assist with the Oasis youth event that takes place at KSU each fall.



Admissions staff: Counselor Zach Price, Administrative Assistant Jenny Herrera, Director of Admissions Ben Field.

Brendan Tener and Erik Wold visit with prospective students during Timothy Days.

Mo Manes guards the soda tank during Oasis.

Erik Wold, Katherine Petersma, Mo Manes, and Dionne Timken lead the Timothy Days worship.







The Admissions Department is ready to celebrate Christmas.



The Admissions Staff and Institutional Advancement department work closely together.

Olivia Meyer helps serve at Timothy Days Banquet.



Zach Price, Brody Lumpkins, Drew Will, and Corbin Romm serve at the ICOM (International Conference on Missions).



# Chapel

Chapel is another life changing experience for all not only our students, but for all who attend the services. Chapel is held every Thursday morning. Chapel provides an opportunity for the college to come together and worship as a family. Worship is led by students. During the service, speakers from the area, current students, missionaries, alumni and college personnel present a message to challenge students in their faith. This is a great way for off-campus students to stay connected with their peers and the news of the school. When covid hit we had to rethink how we could maintain chapel services. Worship leaders and chapel speakers would record themselves and send the videos to IT. IT and Student Development worked together to livestream these videos each week.

Haleigh  
Hipsher and  
Emma  
Bathurst are  
excited to  
worship at  
chapel.



For the Christmas chapel, many faculty and staff participated and shared their musical gifts. Dr. Medaris played his guitar.

Chris Pahls and Genilyn McCaffrey play and lead worship for Christmas chapel.

Dr. Henry on the bass.







Students are an intricate part of leading other during worship.



Students praying for their fellow classmates.

Chris Pahls plays electric guitar.



President Kevin Ingram shares the Good News during the Christmas chapel.

Alumni Charlie Spencer came back to share about his overseas ministry.



# Student Government



## EXECUTIVES:

Secretary: Erik Wold, Treasurer: Nicole Santillo, Vice President: Faith Barr, President: Dionne Timken



SENIORS: Brenden Tener, Shelby Jennings, Nikki Williamson, Gabe Awbrey.



JUNIORS: Garrett Keele, Grace Kuenzi, Sarah Ward, Christopher Blakenship.



SSLC: Brody Lumpkins, Emma Bathurst, Olivia Millar, Karly Gibbs



SOPHOMORES: Asher Walker, Abe Walker, Kaleb Hansen, Garrett Renner

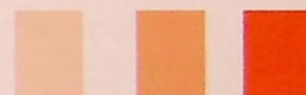


FRESHMEN: Brenna Flax, Emma Henry, Carson Graham, Brandon Pitt





Student Government Meeting



COMMUNICATIONS: Montie Klecker, Katherine Maurath, Elly Johnson, Noah Hoskins



CAMPUS PROGRAM COUNCIL: Phillip Archuleta, Cassie Miller, Katherine Petersma, Tommy Brotton



STUDENT NEEDS: Jordan Davis, Anna Vanstory, Grace Marozas, Corbin Romm



TRADITIONS: Mo Manes, Darby Cook, Dakota Shurts, Johnnie Talarico



# R.A.'s/Camp Team

Resident Assistants are crucial to campus life. They help move students into the residence halls and help them feel at home. The Resident Assistants are led by Residence Hall Supervisors: John and Connie Hill in Kenoyer Hall and Steve and Julie Pearson in Johnson Hall.

Camp teams represent the college at various camps and conferences across the nation. The summer teams are here to share Christ with those who do not know Him, strengthen relationships with those who do, encourage students, staff and other fellow teams and serve in any way needed. Their high level of energy is utilized to teach lessons, lead small groups, plan awesome rec games, and whatever else is needed.



R.A.'s gather at the Rupe's house to pray for their upcoming year.



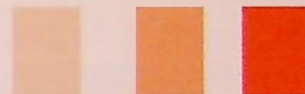
2019-2020 Resident Assistants:  
Matthew Wendte, Sarah Ward, Dakota Shurts, Faith Barr, Angel Vasquez, Trisha Fassnacht, Christopher Blankenship, Allie May, Davinna Farney, Haley Wright, Conor O'Boyle, Haleigh Hipsher, and Zach Ridgway.







2019-2020 Camp Teams:  
Jordan Lewis, Aspen Herrera,  
Kaleb Hansen.  
Hailey Culp, Corey Bates,  
Kaitlyn Damrill, Jordan  
White, Alyssa Armstrong,  
Johnnie Talarico, Dakota  
Wallace, Josiah Wilson.









# ATHLETICS





# Coach Condra

After 25 years at the helm of Manhattan Christian College Athletics, Coach Shawn Condra has decided to step away from his duties as Athletic Director and Head Men's Basketball Coach. Over the course of the last quarter century, Condra oversaw incredible change and success in the athletic department. At the start of his tenure the college were members of the NBCCA and competed collegiately in only four sports. In 1994 the then Crusaders joined the the National Christian College Athletics Association and won the first national championship as members of the NCCAA in Men's Basketball in 1996. In 2005, 2007 and 2008 the Men's Soccer team broke through the championship barrier to claim 3 national championships in four years. In 2009 and 2010 the Women's Soccer team claimed their first two national championships. Perhaps his greatest professional accomplishment was leading the athletic department to two straight NCCAA Presidents Cups for having the overall best athletics program in the NCCAA in 2009 and 2010. In those two years MCC sent each of their varsity programs to national tournaments. In 2014 Manhattan Christian College changed their nickname from the 'Crusaders' to the 'Thunder' in a college wide rebrand in which Coach Condra was part of. In what is probably his most impactful role as basketball coach the program saw unprecedented success. Over the course of his 25 years Coach Condra has established himself as the winningest coach in school history by a wide margin with 501 career victories. He also lays claim to 14 regular season conference championships, 13 twenty win seasons, 9 conference tournament titles, 5 region championships and 1 national championship in 1996. He has been named region Coach of the Year 7 times and National Coach of the Year twice in 1996 and 2004. His 2004 team was the first team in school history to lay claim to a national #1 ranking and his team in 2009 holds the school record for wins in a season with 29. In 2017 his team won their third straight regional championship and first in the new Southwest region by knocking off the defending national champions, Randall University, 104-103 to secure a #2 seed at the NCCAA National Tournament. While Coach Condra may be stepping away from the sidelines for the time being he still has love for his alma mater and is very thankful to have had the opportunity to lead MCC Athletics.

"I was very fortunate to be hired right out of college and to be able to do something that I love to do for twenty-five years. I was blessed with a lot of great players that made me look good as a coach, however the relationships that I was able to develop with so many players and students are more important than any success that we had. Those relationships are what I will miss the most," commented Coach Condra.

Coach Condra truly had an incredible impact on the athletic program at Manhattan Christian College and will be missed amongst his peers and his players. Over the last 25 years he provided incredible consistency and leaves behind a legacy that is unmatched across the country. Thank you, Coach.



The team signed and presented Coach a basketball for his 500th win.

Jordan Strom shares memories of his time playing basketball for Coach Condra.

The team picture of Coach Condra's last team.

Former players and current student body gathered to celebrate and say farewell to Coach Condra.

Nate Awbrey highlights his favorite memories of playing for Coach Condra.







Shawn and his wife Wendy with two of his daughters, Quinn and Piper.



"Coach has an incredible amount of basketball knowledge and his accolades on the hardwood speak for themselves, but his character and faith are what set him apart and truly made my time playing for him special," commented 2009 graduate and former Men's Basketball Player Justin Glenn.

2010 graduate and former Men's Basketball Player, Kenny Park, had this to say about Condra, "I learned how to care about something so much while also maintaining composure, restraint and wisdom. Coach helped me grow into a professional, a husband and a father that is truly in control of my emotions rather than allowing emotions to control me."



# Volleyball

## Favorite Memories

"The stretch circle before practice everyone spilling the tea and Ray and Coach giving their input." - Karly Gibbs

"Nationals" - Greta Hinderliter

"Walking around the airport in Atlanta during our 3 hour delay. Elise, Kennedy, and I rode down an escalator to the floor below us and could not find the right escalator to get back up...so we found the maintenance crews elevator and rode that back upstairs."

- Grace Marozas

The volleyball team finished the season with a 17-13 record. They went undefeated in Conference, won the Conference tournament, finished #4 in regionals, and made a National Tournament appearance. There were also a lot of players that were awarded this season on and off the court. This year the team had 7 NCCAA Scholar Athletes: Kennedy Wilson, Janel Dormire, Grace Kuenzi, Tess Eblin, Greta Hinderliter, Emily Malmquist, and Karly Gibbs. Second Team All-Conference: Elise Corbett and Greta Hinderliter. First Team All-Conference: Tess Eblin, Grace Marozas, and Brenna Flax. Karly Gibbs was named conference MVP and on the second team All-American. The team had a lot of goals that they accomplished throughout the season. I asked Coach Lauren Sanders and she said, "Our main goal for the whole season was to get back to nationals after not going for two seasons- we met that goal and received the At-Large bid."

Karly Gibbs reaches to hit around her Central McPherson blocker.

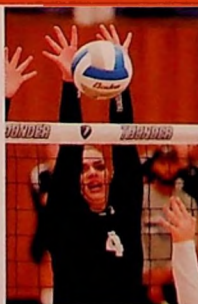


Tess Eblin sets up Kennedy Wilson.

Elise Corbett saves the ball at all costs.

Greta Hinderliter confidently blocks the Ozark hitter.

Brenna Flax and Katherine Maurath go up to create a wall against the Ozark hit.







Greta Hinderliter and Grace Marozas go up strong to block their Barclay opponent.



Back Row: Head Coach Lauren Sanders, Assistant Coach Ray Sanders, Grace Holcomb, Kennedy Wilson, Greta Hinderliter, Grace Kuenzi, Sophie Phillips, Brenna Flax, Tess Eblin, Manager Emma Bathurst, Assistant Coach Lenay Marteney. Front Row: Misha Redenbaugh, Karly Gibbs, Janel Dormire, Emily Malmquist, Elise Corbett, Grace Marozas, Katherine Maurath.



Kennedy Wilson slams the ball around her blocker. Brenna Flax with the slide,



# Women's Soccer

October 24, 2019 Anya Maltseva picked up her first win as the Head Coach of the Lady Thunder. The team defeated their NCCAA SW Region opponent Southwestern Adventist University. The ladies were led in scoring by senior Monica Garcia and freshman Hannah Gillespie who each punched in two goals.

"We feel great and we feel awesome. The girls have worked hard and improved all season and it feels good to get the first one," commented Coach Maltseva.

The Lady Thunder and Coach Anya have worked really hard this year to grow the program. We look forward to many more wins.



Jordan Lewis forces her way down the field during the Faith soccer game.

Hannah Park goes up strong against the Faith defender.

Haley Culp makes a save against Randall.

Brittany Scheetz uses fancy footwork to drive the ball down field.

Abby Wright fights to keep possession of the ball against the Faith defender.







Sarah Ward prepares to steal the ball from the Faith opponent.



Back Row: Dakota Wallace, Haleigh Hipsher, Monica Garcia, Sarah Ward, Britney Scheetz, Elyssa Armstrong, Alexis Huitron, Hannah Gillespie, Abby Wright, Haley Culp, Head Coach Anya Maltseva, Assistant Coach Logan Pittman. Front Row: Haley Wright, Jacie Chestnut, Jordan Lewis, Hannah Park, Savannah Farney, Davinna Farney.



Defender Davinna Farney takes the goal kick.

Hannah Gillespie uses her speed to steal the ball from her opponent.



# Men's Soccer

The season started with the Thunder being ranked at #8 in the NCCAA coaches poll. Throughout the first few weeks of the season they climbed to #6 in the coaches poll. The team headed to Dubuque, Iowa for the conference tournament. They were ranked #1 for this tournament. The Thunder played tournament host Emmaus College and beat them 6-1. They advanced to the championship game and beat Faith Baptist Bible College to claim the Conference title. The team then played the Regional quarterfinal game in Manhattan and beat Arlington Baptist 4-0. They traveled to Joplin to play Kansas Christian College and lost 4-2 in the Regional semifinal. The Thunder claimed the last at-large bid and was the #6 seed heading to the National Tournament in Kissimmee, Florida. Unfortunately, the Thunder lost to the #2 seed Providence College and the #3 seed Grace Bible College.



Brothers and teammates Gabe and Nate Awbrey celebrate a goal.

Diego Velasco makes a defensive stop.

Nate Awbrey beats his defender and makes a move down field.

Asher Walker puts the ball in play off of a free kick.

Angel Vasquez winds up and takes a strike at the ball.





Gabe Awbrey drives down the field for another goal.



Back Row: Assistant Coach Jeff Sagstetter, Head Coach Rick Wright, Johnnie Talarico, Gabe Awbrey, Nate Awbrey, Kord Pearson, Michael Ross, Quentin Jackson, Isaiah Frese, Assistant Coach Ben Grogg. Front Row: Logan Engelhorn, Asher Walker, Carson Graham, Cade Pearson, Diego Velasco, Jack Hinderliter, Angel Vasquez.



Cade Pearson crosses the ball to the middle hoping for a goal.

Logan Engelhorn celebrates a Jaydn Hickel goal.



# Women's Basketball

Michael Turkovic was named the new head coach for the Lady Thunder. "I am very honored to be the new Head Woman's Basketball Coach. I enjoyed my time as a student-athlete and playing for Coach Condra and I am looking forward to this opportunity," Michael Turkovic. The first half of the season started off rough with loses and multiple injuries. In January the ladies earned their first win against Southwestern Adventist University. The ladies powered through a tough season and went on to beat Faith Baptist Bible College on Senior Day. Senior Shelby Jennings scored a career high 32 points. The Lady Thunder traveled to Joplin to participate in the Conference Tournament as the #7 seed

Senior  
Shelby  
Jennings with  
Head Coach  
Michael  
Turkovic and  
former coach  
Sarah  
Wenger.



Kennedy Wilson goes up strong against two Faith defenders.

Alexis Huitron looks for an open player during the Randall game.

Darby Cook grabs a bucket.

Jordan Lewis forces her way around her Calvary defender.







Shelby Jennings beats her Faith defender down the court and drives in towards the bucket.



Elise Corbett, Alexis Huitron, Jordan Lewis, Kennedy Wilson, Darby Cook, Shelby Jennings, Brett Bond.



Darby Cook puts up a strong defense against Ozark.

Elise Corbett drives around her Randall defender and earns a bucket.



# Men's Basketball

After a hot start to the semester the Manhattan Christian College Men's Basketball team vaulted into the NCCAA Top 10 Coaches Poll coming in at #7. In the first game of the semester the Thunder lost to #4 ranked Champion Christian by three in a back and forth game. From there, MCC won 6 straight contests. The Thunder made another leap into the top 5 after four straight conference wins. The men's basketball team made it into the top five at #4 in this version of the coaches poll. The #2 seeded Thunder Men's Basketball team advanced to the Region Semifinal with a 89-72 victory over rival #7 Ozark Christian College. The Thunder played Randall for the championship and knocked off #4 seeded Randall University in overtime by the score of 88-73. Winning the Regional Championship guaranteed the Thunder a trip to the National Tournament held in Joplin, Missouri. The teams arrived and prepared to take the court. Unfortunately, tournament officials canceled the tournament because of the Covid-19 outbreak.

Chelvin Webb battles underneath the hoop to get the bucket.



Alex Mitura goes up for an easy bucket against Emmaus.

Payton Stephens and Alex Mitura celebrate with Taymont Lindsey.

Zach Smalley puts up an easy bucket.

Payton Stephens goes up strong against several Ozark defenders.







Nate Awbrey protects the ball as he drives to the basket.



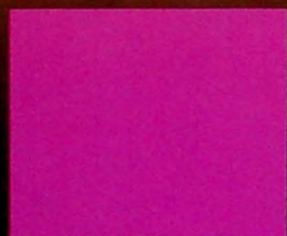
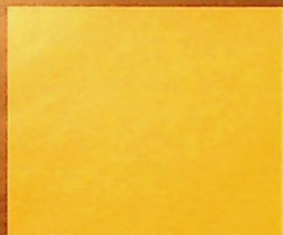
Back Row: Ferdinand Handy Jr., Brandon Pitt, Jordan White, Jaelon Carter, Nate Awbrey, Isaac Hagans, Carl McDade III. Front Row: Taymont Lindsey, Alex Mitura, Gabe Awbrey, Chelvin Webb, Payton Stephens, Zach Smalley, Lucas Tenorio.



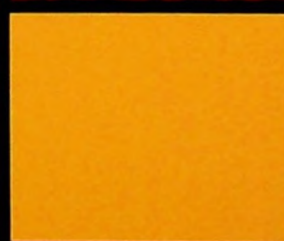
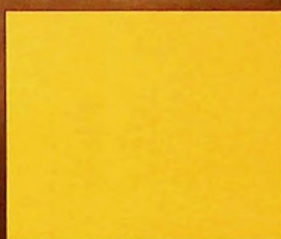
Jordan White drives through three Ozark defenders.

Jaelon Carter celebrates the win over Randall.















# MCC FAMILY





# GRADUATES







Johnathan Andrusak

B.S. in Bible & Leadership &  
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Social Justice Emphasis



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Emma Bathurst

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Christopher Blankenship

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Christian Ministry  
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Social Justice Emphasis



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Christian Ministry  
Family Emphasis



Reggie Johannes

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Christian Ministry  
Social Justice Emphasis



Montie Klecker

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Christian Ministry  
Youth Ministry Emphasis



Logan LaRue

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Counseling Emphasis



Ronald Lassiter Jr.

B.S. in Biblical Leadership





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Dylan Meyer

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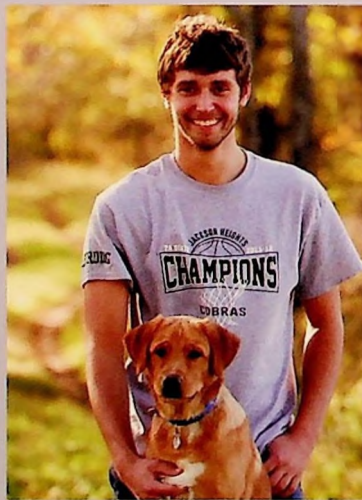
Cassion Miller

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Lorraine Murphy

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Children's Ministry Emphasis



Cole Olberding

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Ryan O'Neill

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Emily Park

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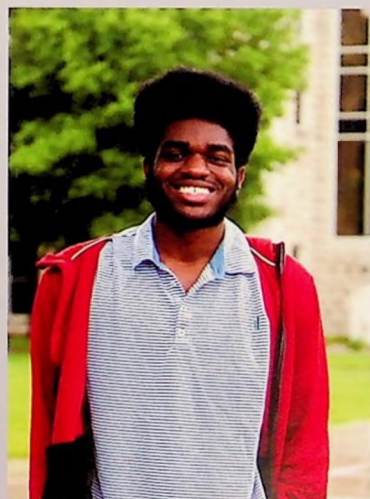
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# Commencement

Covid-19 threw a wrench in many of our college events. Commencement was one of those events that could not happen in May. Graduates were excited to hear that Commencement would take place in August. This year it was held in the Howie's Activity Center. The graduates with their families were able to participate the Alumni luncheon where they got to share what their future plans included. After the luncheon, the graduates lined up outside to make their grand entrance. The graduates were honored to have Dr. Paddock give the commencement address as his last official MCC duty before he retired. "And this is where we came in!" is what Dr. Paddock entitled his message. He further explained that events considered to be "black swan events" such as the pandemic, the fall of the Berlin wall should be a call to action. Reminding students and the audience that when the opportunities arise, we must take them and take them immediately for there is typically a short window in which we can be effective. He also reminded graduates of the words in 2 Peter, that they should "Preach the Word!" It was a compelling message to make sure graduates and attendees alike stay alert to what is going on a global scale and take the opportunities to spread the Gospel as soon as the opportunities present themselves.



Friends for life Brendan Tener and Johnathan Andrusak pose for a little post ceremony celebration of hard work.

The Williamson family is ready to watch Nikki walk!

Brothers in arms! Xavier Ramey, Gabe Awbrey, John Woods, and Cade Pearson walk through the parking lot to collect their yearbook and say farewell for the summer.

All masked up and ready to graduate.







Emma Bathurst, Katherine Maurath, Nikki Williamson and Greta Hinderliter show their diploma holders after the ceremony.



The Foust family celebrates with Nate during the days festivities.

Arletta and Wes Paddock pose before Wes gives his graduation address.



Jason Johnson celebrates with Nicole Santillo and Monica Burke after graduation.

Dionne Timken give Prez Kev a fist bump after walking across the stage.



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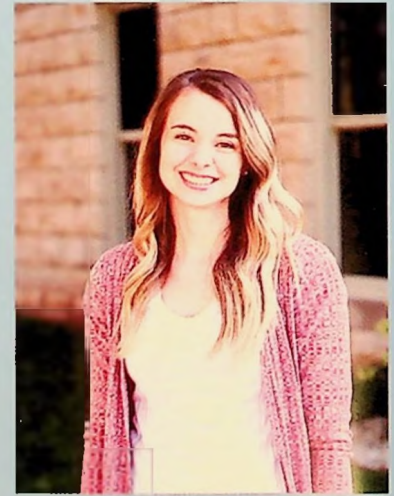
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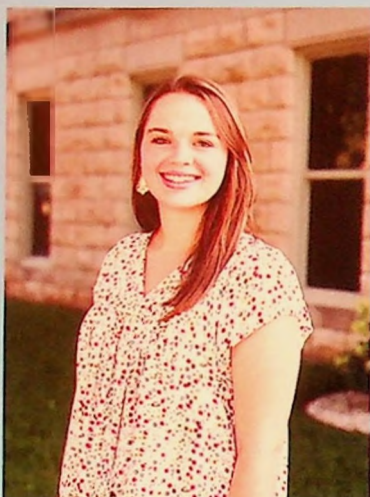
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This yearbook is short and seems incomplete. This was the school year that was the beginning of the global pandemic that we knew as Covid-19. The men's basketball team left for the National Tournament in Joplin, students, faculty and staff left for Spring Break adventures. Early in that week it became very apparent that things were going to be different. MCC extended Spring break by a week and Administration quickly went to work figuring out how we would take on the challenges that were ahead of us. Ultimately, the decision was made to go "remote," which meant an abrupt close to campus and normal spring semester activities, such as yearbook pictures, spring events and just everyday regular life around MCC. There were all sorts of emotions that we all went through at different stages and to try and describe them all is a nearly impossible task. There will be lessons to learn from this pandemic for years to come and it was more than evident that the loss of time on campus was definitely felt by students, faculty and staff. This yearbook may be short but my guess is that your memories, good or bad, are not short from this particular year.



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